

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Del C. Schroeder et al.
Group Art: Unit 3616
Examiner: Sliteris, Joselynn Y.
Application Ser. No.: 09/840,480
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For: **COMPOSITE SPRING DESIGN THAT ALSO PERFORMS
THE LOWER CONTROL ARM FUNCTION FOR A
CONVENTIONAL OR ACTIVE SUSPENSION SYSTEM**

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 20, 2003, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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